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CARBIDE-BASED ANNULAR JEWELRY  
ARTICLES



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Sir:

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It is respectfully requested that these references be made of record in this application by the Examiner's completion and return of the attached Form PTO-1449.

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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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**OTHER REFERENCES** *(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)*

C1	The American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language, Fourth Edition, 2000 (Definitions of "ring" and "annular")
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